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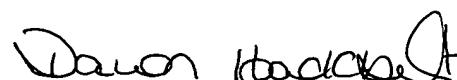
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In response to the Office Action mailed March 19, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the claims in view of the amendment and remarks set forth below.

AMENDMENTIn the Specification

Please make the following amendment to the paragraph starting at line 24 of Page 32:

-- Among the hybridoma cell lines producing the anti-19P2 ligand antibodies as obtained in the examples mentioned later herein, P2L-1C and P2L-1T have been deposited with the Ministry of International Trade and Industry National Institute of Bioscience and Human Technology (NIBH; 1-3, Higashi 1-chome Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki-ken, 305-8566 JAPAN) under the terms of the Budapest Treaty for the deposit of microorganisms for patent purposes, as of March 18, 1998 under the respective accession numbers shown below: --